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Defection of Major Vasili KOFFER

Harst WETTERHANN states that on 21 October 1948, he contacted Major Vasili KOFFER, a Soviet Jew at that time City Commandant of Altenburg, Thuringia, from Altenburg across the border into the American Zone of Germany. Have you any record?

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